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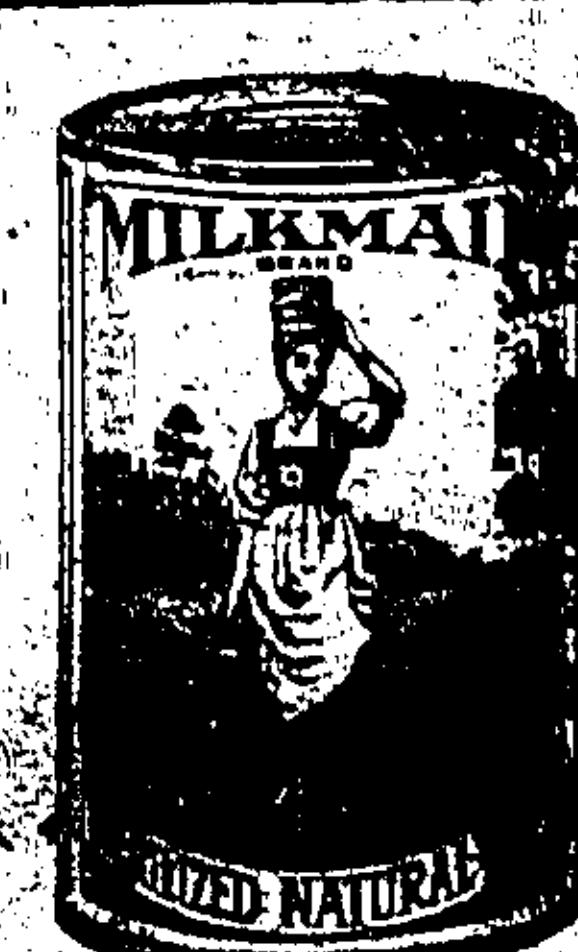


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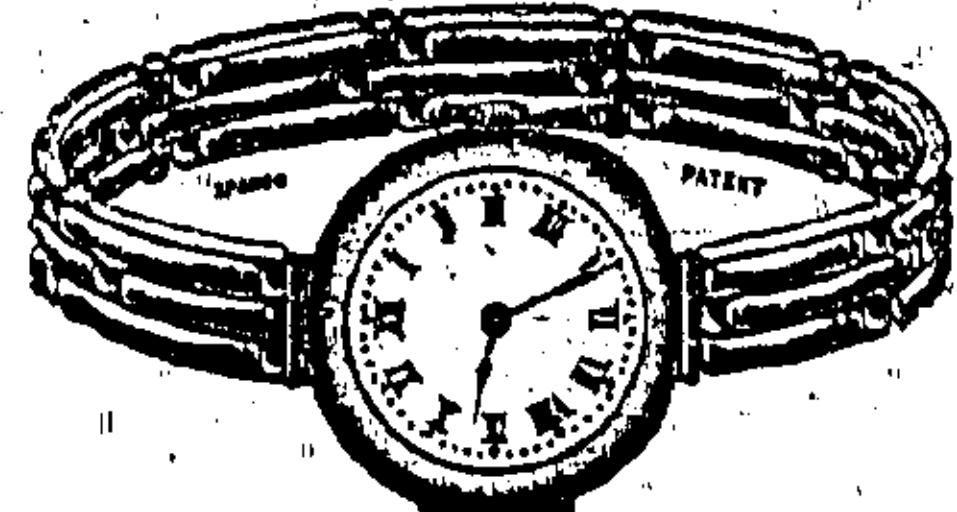
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were passed at the Extraordinary General  
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### SCOTTISH LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
EDINBURGH, April 29.  
HISCELLANEA.

The pavilion of Peeblesshire Cricket Club on the North Inch has been destroyed by fire, it is believed by suffragettes. It was erected 20 years ago, and contained valuable photographs and relics, including the scoring books for over 100 years.

The King has been pleased to direct that Viscount Balfour of Clash be appointed a Knight of the Thistle, in succession to the late Earl of Crawford.

Among the appointments made by the Women's Foreign Mission Committee of the United Free Church are Miss M. H. Ferguson, M. B. Ch. B. Aberdeen, Lt. Mancharis; Miss M. C. Melville Smith, Sister of the Rev. Dr. Melville Smith, who went last year to the English Presbyterian Mission at Wukung, China, to Japan, India, and Miss E. B. Edwards, daughter of an English United Methodist minister to Australia.

The astronomical equipment of the Canadian Arctic Expedition has been arranged entirely in the Skin Head Observatory Laboratory. This is one of the many Polar Expeditions that have been assisted by this institution, the only one of its kind in Britain, and it is noteworthy that during the present year at least two other Polar Expeditions may have to be fitted out from it if not actually dispatched under its auspices.

Three Scots are to take part in the Canadian Expedition. Mr. James Murray will be biol. gis. and oceanographer; he is well known or his scientific work, and was biologist to Sir Ernest Shackleton, Dr. A. Forde, "Ma' Guy" will be surgeon and naturalist; he served in the South African War, and afterwards joined the British Antarctic Expedition, and Mr. W. L. McKinley, will be a magnetician; he is a distinguished graduate of Glasgow University, and was Dr. Bruce's assistant in connection with working up the scientific results of the Scottish Antarctic Expedition.

THIS WEEK'S STORIES.

A fellow resident in our hill village (writes "J. H.") is beginning to find no joke to live 40 minutes walk from railway station. He goes to town daily, and some of his associates there, I fancy, are not of the strictest sect of the Republicans. Neither is he, I met him returning home a trifle indefinitely the other evening, and he communicated some of his latest musings on local topography. "Every morning," he said, "you turn the corner, and there's another mile to walk, and you walk back, and there's another corner to turn." Then he pondered awhile. His eyebrows raised in painful reflection, he concluded despairingly, "And it's the same at night!"

In her new volume of "Reminiscences" Mrs Story—the widow of Prince Albert Story—tells a good anecdote illustrating of the native caution of the Scots. When Mr. MacLean was a young assistant in Glasgow, he was walking out one day with an older of Finnieston Free Church, when Dr. Andrew Bonar, the minister of the church, passed and gave them a friendly greeting. Ian MacLean, thereupon began to speak in terms of the highest appreciation of the kindly character of his minister. "Oh, yes," replied the older, "there's naething positively so about him. Due to Bonar" was Ian MacLean, also, who told Mrs. Story about an absent-minded man who, being unable at the moment to recall the name of a friend to whom he was speaking, lit me to get over the difficulty by inquiring, "Let me see, do you spell your name with a 'u' or an 'i'?" "My name is Hill," was the stern reply.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Agnes McLaren, daughter of Duncan McLaren, formerly M. P. for Edinburgh, was one of the pioneers of the movement for the moral education of women; took a leading part in the woman's suffrage movement in its earlier stages, and for many years worked strenuously in France and Italy in the crusade against the White Slave Traffic.

Rev. Dr. George G. Smith, recently Professor of Hebrew in Aberdeen United Free Church College; 77.

WILLS AND LAST TESTAMENTS.

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## CHAMPIONSHIP POLO.

Preparing for the Matches in June.

What America Has Been Doing.

The polo-championship matches between English and American teams are held next month at Meadow Brook, U.S.A. The English team sailed for the States a fortnight ago and from what Reuter advises their work in preparation has given the Americans some cause to think about the fate of the coveted cup, which America now holds and for which she will now set the part of defender. Some interesting particulars of the American team's preparations are furnished in the "New York Sun" which tells of the initial stages of the training, early in April, and also provides some details of the mounts which are to be used by the Englishmen. We quote the following:—"At present (this refers to the early days of April) the American forces are quartered at Lakewood, where the preliminary manoeuvres are conducted under the generalship of Harry Payne Whitney, with H. L. Herbert and William A. Hazard, of the Polo Association, acting as an advisory board by giving the team the benefit of the many lessons learned by them in a lifetime spent in playing and fostering the game. So far as the men are concerned those in charge of the undertaking have no fear of the result. The great Meadow Brook four—Harry Payne Whitney, Lawrence Waterbury, J. M. Waterbury, Jr., and Devereux Milburn—all have reported and in the warming up skirmishes have proved that they have lost none of the individual skill and perfect team tactics gained by playing together in the fastest company for many years. This old guard has been backed up by younger players whose enthusiasm for the game has caused them to give up their time to the practice, though aware that only in case of any serious injury to a member of the big four will there be room for a substitute in the team. These men are learning rapidly what fast polo means and in the past week at least two of them have come along at such a swift pace that there is no question of their playing a game of international strength if their services are required. L. E. Stoddard, who has been picked as a substitute before, has shown perhaps greater improvement than any other of the seven men who have participated steadily in the practice for the past two weeks. He has become adept at following the ball and in one of the practice encounters showed his ability to hit the small white sphere on the gallop by scoring three goals in one period. Not far behind this sterling young player is C. C. Ramsey, whose energetic riding has been responsible for many goals even though opposed by the best men in the country.

## TAKING IT SERIOUSLY.

With everything possible being done to maintain America's supremacy in polo there is still a feeling that the situation is graver than when the attack was made at Meadow Brook in 1911. It can be said without fear of contradiction that every one connected with the enterprise is taking the matter of defending the cup as seriously as though the fate of an empire depended on the issue. The visitors, under the leadership of the Duke of Westminster, are united, and every polo player in England has rallied under his banner. The United Kingdom and Colonies have been scoured for suitable mounts for the impounding match and the latest advice from England indicates that the challengers will have a handy lot of ponies at their disposal. The value of the ponies used by England in the last international contest is discounted by the statement that only four of these will be commissioned for the forthcoming series. These are Energy, Pretty Boy, Machine and Nutmeg, all animals that earned approval in the contests held two years ago.

Fifteen ponies have been selected from the stud of the Duke of Westminster and all have creditable polo records in England. These are Royal Diamond, Unbroken, Ariel, Firefly, Midgo, Solina, Sprite, Love Charm, Hawkeye, Twenty-Two, Orient, Countess, Pole Star, Cabin Girl and Miss Ann.

W. S. Buckmaster, the acknowledged peer of English poloists, who has add three ponies to the string in Irene, Pickering and Melrose, while F. Frazer, another leading player, will contribute the best of his string in Molly Beech, Polly, Hidden Star, Glimmer and Harmless. Capt. Cheape, who will make one of the invading force, will send his noted Miss Temple, and Capt. Bellville will have three of his own ponies, while Lord Wodehouse will contribute two. Capt. Pitton thinks so well of the ponies he has played in India that he has taken three of them to England to be shipped here. Among others who have offered the pick of their studs are Capt. A. S. Wills, owner of the well-known chestnut pony Princess; Lord Ashby St. Legges, who has a very fine string, and Capt. E. H. Brassley.

## DETAILS OF EQUIPMENT.

H. W. Harrison, of Philadelphia, R. L. Agassiz, of Boston, and the Phipps brothers have all done yeoman service in helping to put the internationalists on edge for this great battle in June and important reinforcements are expected in the Lakewood camp for the sham battles of the coming week in Malcolm Stevenson, Perry Headlestone and Joshua Crane, all fine players and able to put up a fight even against such masters as the Meadow Brook four.

With the troops marshalled and the ponies corralled, the question of equipment becomes an important factor. In this regard there is an important deviation from previous matches in the ball that it is "contemplated" to use in the international "contests." The old ball of 3½ inches in diameter has been discarded and one of .84 inches, it is believed, will be used. That this will prove a puzzle to the invading team is quite likely, but although not generally used either here or abroad the Polo Association rules call for a half of the smaller size. As the matches are to be conducted under American rules there can be no objection on the part of the invaders. In all probability the Englishmen, like the Ameri-

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Sirloin Cotom—Nagan Ian ... 28

Sausages—Nagan Chang ... 30

Bullock's Brains—Know ... per set 10

Tongue fresh—Nagan Li ... each 45

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Bard—Nagan Tan ... 60

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Hump—Sal—Nagan Kin ... 15

Foot—Nagan Kark ... each 8

Kidneys—Nagan Xiu ... 9

Tail—Nagan Mei ... 18

Liver—Nagan Kun ... 12

Tripe (undressed)—Nagan To ... 8

Calves' Head &amp; Feet—Nagan Chai-tau-kun ... 61

Mutton Chop—Young Pei Kwai ... 15 25

Leg—Young Pei ... 22

Shoulder—Young Shan ... 22

Pigs' Chittlings—Chu Chong ... 27

Brains—Chu Know ... per set 2

Feet—Chu Kark ... 15 12

Chee Chai ... 3

Head—Chu Tau ... 19

Heart—Chu Sun ... each 10

Kidneys—Chu Yiu ... 8

Liver—Chu Con ... 24

Pork, Chop—Chu Pai Kwai ... 23

Corned—Ham Chai Yu ... 1

Leg—Chu Pei ... 27

Fat or Lard—Chu Yau ... 24

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Heart—Young Sun ... each 7

Kidneys—Young Yiu ... 9

Liver—Young Con ... 15

Sucking Pig, To Order—Chu Chai ... 22

Suet, Beef—Sang Ngu Yu ... 15

501 Mutton—Sang Yung Yau ... 25

Veal—Nagan Chai Yuk ... 18

Sausages—Nagan Chai Chang ... 1

## Poultry.

Chicken—Kai Chai ... 30

Capon, Large, male—Sin Kai ... 30

Ducks—Ap ... 25

Doves—Pan Hau ... 1

Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan ... per doz 20

Fowl, Canton—Kai ... 15

Hainan—Hoi Nam ... 28

Geese—Ngoi Kai ... 24

Goose, Wild Shai—Shang-ho Yea Ngai pair

Husk Door—Wong Keng ... each

Lare, Shanghai—Tu Chai ... 1

Partridge—Chi Khoo ... 1

Pheasant—Shan Kai ... pat

Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kup ... each 33

Hoihow—Hoi How Pak Kup ... 26

Quail—Um-Chun ... 23

Rice Birds—Wo Fa Cheuk ... dozen

Snipe—Sa-Choy ... each

Turkeys Cook—Phor Kai Kung ... 60

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Teal—Sui Ap Chai ... 1

Wild Ducks, Canton—Sang Shing Sui Ap ... 1

## FISH.

Barbel—Ka Yu ... 9

Bream—Bin Yu ... 15

Canton Fresh Water Fish—Ho Siu Yu ... 15

Carp—Li Yu ... 20

Catfish—Chiuk Yu ... 18

Codfish—Mun Yu ... 17

Crabs—B ... 28

Cuttle Fish—Muk Yu ... 16

Dab—Sa Mang Yu ... 16

Dace—Wong Mel Lin ... 8

Dog Fish—Tit Tu Sa ... 9

Gel—Conger—Hoi Mann ... 17

Fresh water—Tam Sia Y ... 12

Eels, Yellow—Wong Sin ... 28

Frogs—Tien Kai ... 32

Garoupa—Sek Pan ... 56

Gudgeon—Pak Kup Yu ... 12

Herring—Tao Pak ... 18

Halibut—Cheung Kwan Kung ... 23

Lahsia—Wong Fa Yu ... 16

Loach—Wu Yu ... 28

Lobster—Lang Ha ... 32

Mackerel—Chi Yu ... 16

Monk Fish—Ming Yu ... 28

Mullet—Chi Yu ... 20

Oysters—San Co ... 20

Parrotfish—Chi Kong Yu ... 16

Perch—Tau Loo ... 15

Pike—Fa Paw Fong ... 8

Plaice—Pan Yu ... 18

Pomfret, Black—Hak Chong ... 22

Pomfret, White—Pak Chong ... 28

Pawns—Ming ... 40

Ray—Pal Pa Sa ... 0

Rock Fish—Sok Ha Kong ... 15

Chum Ya Koach ... 10

## SEAFOOD.

Salmon—Ma Yau Yu ... 28

Shark—Sa Yu ... 0

Skate—Po Yu ... 16

Shrimps—Ha ... 32

Snapper—Lap Yu ... 24

Tuna—Tun Yu ... 20

Turbot—Cho How Yu ... 66

Turtles, small, fresh water—Kork Yu ... 1

White Bait—Nga Ya Chai ... 1

Fruits.

Almonds—Hung Yan ... 1b

Apples (California)—Kam San Ping Hoo ... 30

(Chaofo)—Tin Chun Ping Hoo ... 1

Small—Hoi Tong ... 1

Cattier—Jan I Chai ... 1

Banana, fragrant, Canton—See Shing ... 1

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Bijou Scenic Theatre.

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2.30 p.m.—Meeting of Legislative Council.

## General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, May 30.—Volunteer Smoker and Prize Distribution.

3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property at Mr G. P. Lamont's Sales Room.

SATURDAY, May 31.—Second Gymkhana.

11 a.m.—Auction of Wines &amp; Spirits, &amp;c. at Mason Hughes &amp; Hough's Sales Rooms.

12.15 p.m.—A. S. Watson Co.'s Meeting.

MONDAY, JUNE 2.—3 p.m.—Sale of town Land at P.W.D.

TUESDAY, JUNE 3.—2.30 p.m.—Auction of Teakwood and Blackwood Furniture, &amp;c. at Mason Hughes &amp; Hough's Sales Rooms.

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board is right and port left, even if the recruit was as dull as the historic Irish lookout who, when asked what he made of an approaching red and a green light, said: "I think it's a drog store, sir." A man like this might find it hard to know the difference between a patent-log and a range-finder, and he would surely find himself on the battleship Florida in a fog of the technical terms in which mechanical, electrical, and ballistic engineers rejoice, beside which port and starboard are mere a b'ca. But if we must make navigation easy for the misused why, reform always did love a shining mark.

But what fate is in store for the yachting reporter who undertakes to write his descriptions of the coming Lipton America's Cup contest in the new sea-lingo? Are we to learn that at 2:10 "Shamrock was close-hauled on the right tack," and then to be told that this was the wrong tack from the point of view of scientific seamanship? Worse than that may come. Shall we not read that "Shamrock came about to right at 10:14," with the explanation for the lay-man that she was then headed to the left, taking the wind over her right bow, beam, or quarter? If this does not mean confusion worse confounded, we know not whereof we write. And what is to become of the classics of our sea literature? Must we edit "Pinxfore" like a play of Shakespeare and change the good old song from "larboard watch ahoy" to "left-h-a-and watch ahoy"? And the sea novels in which the romance or the tragedy always happened by the port-watch—must we recall them for fresh and revised editions? The bells, of course, will go next. It will no longer be eight bells and the watch below, but four o'clock and afternoon tea with patent clocks to strike the hours on the ship's bell like any tame grandfather's clock on the front stairs in the old home on the farm.

We are reconciled to the passing of the mizzen-topsail brace, the spanker-brail, the cross-jack-lifts, the spanker-gaff, and the monkey-gaff vangs. The parting with them was softened by the thought that we should have found it hard to define them off-hand without a sly resort to that diagram of a full rigged ship which graces almost every dictionary. We know, with resignation, too, that the ship's eyes have gone the way of the ship's husband and the ship's corporal, and that the day of the fustanelle and the quarterdeck is drawing to its close. But when you take away star-board and port you deprive thousands of landsmen and land-women of the easiest way of showing how familiar they are with boats and the men that go down to the sea in ships.

Information was given on Monday that a quantity of opium was stored at 41 Temple Street, Yau Ma Tei, a search warrant was obtained, but no one was found on the premises. In a locked cubicle, however, were found 19 packages carefully tied up which were thought to contain prepared opium. There were 300 tins resembling opium tins and similarly labelled to opium, but on being opened the tins were found to contain a pasty substance like treacle.

The Chinese Republic has created, as is generally known, numerous decorations and new titles of nobility, but up till now a national anthem has not been thought of. This want is now to be supplied. The Minister of Education has, according to a report from Peking, opened a competition among the literati for the composition of the Chinese "Marseillaise," and a certain number of MSS. have already reached him. When the competition is definitely closed the Minister will make his choice—a choice which will have to be approved by Parliament.

The body of the Rev. W. B. Wright, vicar of Osbaldwick, near York, who disappeared last October, was recovered on 28th ult. from the River Ouse at Naven, about four miles below York. Identification of the body was possible by the clerical attire and certain articles found in the pockets. On the day after Mr. Wright disappeared his cravat and watch were found on the bank of the river near Fulford, about three miles higher up the river, but dragging operations failed to discover any trace of the body and it was thought that Mr. Wright had left the country. Mr. Wright spent between 20 and 30 years in Japan as a missionary, and was over 70 years of age.

General Irunwell Booth has decided to commence operations in China almost immediately. There are, it is urged, abundant examples to show that Chinese take well to Salvation Army methods. Perhaps the most conspicuous, says the "War Cry," is Prof. Tom Fox, who was a lunch-counter waiter when he was saved at an Army meeting in California. He subsequently became a cook at the provincial headquarters, rose to the rank of ensign, and, after obtaining the degree of M.A. at Columbia University, returned to his native land as a teacher.

From inquiries we have made we learn that the extension of the Parcel Post to China and Japan via the Siberian route will not apply to commercial papers, newspapers, and such class of mail matter. We are informed that it is not at present practicable to arrange for the despatch via Siberia of packets paid at the rate for printed papers, commercial papers, or samples. Parcels forwarded by the proposed parcel post to China via Siberia will not be conveyed so quickly as letters sent by that route; and the rates of postage will be higher than those in the existing service to Suez.—L. & C. Express.

The object of the abolition of port and starboard is stated to be to simplify matters for the hosts of landsmen who man our bowing machine-shops and gun-bearing vessels. Now, in the old days of sailing craft, it usually took a smart officer, with the aid of a rope's end, only about two switches to lick into the veriest landlubber the fact that star-

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

H. E. the Governor will present the prize to the Volunteer Corps on Friday evening.

Russians have been granted permission to establish motor traffic between Urga and Kischta.

A coolie from the cowsheds at Tai Ping Village was found drowned in one of the washing tanks above the village yesterday.

The cargo of raw silk shipped on board the "Ernest Simon," which left this port on April 22, was delivered in Iyon on the May 24.

The silk shipped from Hongkong on 19th ult. by O. S. K. steamer "Seattle Maru" was delivered in New York on the morning of May 24.

Everywhere celebrations are being held in commemoration of the centenary of the birth of Richard Wagner.—"Ostwaldischer Lloyd."

When a man was prosecuted by Mr. Tratman, Head of the Sanitary Department, for causing an obstruction, he said he did not remember being fined \$5 last September. He was now fined \$7.

Among the passengers who left to-day per P. & O. s.s. "Palawan" were Mrs. C. T. Beach, Miss A. D. Doberck, Engr. Lieut. J. H. Appel, and Capt. J. Bettison. Miss Doberck has been connected with the Hongkong Observatory for a number of years.

Three lots of Crown land were disposed of at the P. W. D. on Tuesday a lot on Conduit Road, No. 2021, was sold to Messrs Goldsmith and White for \$2460, the adjoining lot, No. 2022 going to Mr. Weezer as \$2475. Ip Po Lam bought a Shaukiwan lot for \$930.

The slander suit in the Mixed Court Shanghai, involving a well-known Chinese and a member of the American Bar, has been dropped. The American Consul General intervened in the matter and explanations were made to the plaintiff, that were accepted as satisfactory.

Five men were charged by Inspector McHardy, before Mr. Hazelard at the Magistrate to-day, with disorderly conduct outside No. 2 Police Station. A charge was taken in which two women were concerned, and the defendants made a demonstration outside the station. Mr. Hazelard said he believed a lot of this sort of thing went on especially where women were concerned. He fined each of the men \$25 or one month's imprisonment.

Mr. Asquith has just completed his fifth year as Prime Minister. This is the longest period that a Liberal statesman has been Prime Minister since 1885. Mr. Gladstone's second Administration, from 1885, lasted about two months over five years—almost the same length as that of his first Ministry, from 1868 to 1874. The late Lord Salisbury was twice Prime Minister for a longer period—his last Premiership lasted just over seven years. The last Administrations both of Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Palmerston lasted for over six years.

A. Paris, correspondent states that the revelations which are being made regarding the extent to which opium smoking is indulged in by sailors in the French Navy, but more especially by the young officers, and also in the Army, are creating a sensation and a scandal.

It appears that the supplies of opium come mostly from Cambodia, Annam, and Indo-China, and that it is smuggled over to

France in many ways by men in every position, from deckhands to diplomats,

who are tempted by the rich profit to be made.

It is said that with the arrival of each new vessel in Toulon there

is an orgie in the opium dens which last

for days. It is then that sailors desert,

and that crimes without motive are com-

mitted. M. Arnaud, the Sub-Prefect of

Toulon, is emphatic as to the imminent

danger, and says that the ravages of the

drug are spreading not only among the

naval and military population, but among

the civil element.

Mr. Shenton: Was it to this effect that the bar was not then closed?

Mr. Gardner objected to this question as being inadmissible in evidence.

Mr. Shenton, putting it in another form, asked if witness went to the bar in consequence of this report?

Mr. Beaurepaire replied that he did, and said he found the bar closed, and Mr. Soloy was just leaving at 12.20. He

reported this to Mr. Taggart on the following morning. Occasionally witness went into the bar—about once a week—to see that everything was in order. The barman's instructions were to commence closing at 11.00 p.m. and that the bar was to be closed at 12 midnight.

Mr. Soloy had signed vouchers for wine taken into his bar from the store, though this did not come within his duty, and he had also signed for the private bar upstairs, with which he had nothing at all to do.

Mr. Gardner asked leave to call Mr. P. W. Goldring, who had known plaintiff for some time, to give evidence to his character. There was a suggestion that the plaintiff was drunk on duty.

Mr. Shenton: Very much of a suggestion.

It is part of my case in fact.

His Lordship considered the course suggested irregular, and Mr. Goldring was not called.

Cross-examined by Mr. Gardner, Mr. Beaurepaire said most of the barman during the past year or two had been engaged on twenty-four hours' notice,

under agreement.

He presumed that the reason was that the bar was to be closed at 12 midnight.

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Mr. Shenton, observing that this ad-

mission by plaintiff showed the reason why the claim was brought, asked his Lordship to particularly note it.

It was not part of the barman's duty to act as "chuck-out"; he had orders to call a policeman in case of a disturbance.

Mr. Gardner asked subsequently if witness called Mr. Soloy on one occasion to assist him in putting somebody out of the hotel. He replied that he could not remember the incident.

Mr. Gardner: You were hiding behind a pillar, I think? (Laughter.)

Witness remembered a disturbance in the lift, but was not present; he was saving the Chinese employees.

The case was adjourned after two

Chinese witnesses had been called.

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INDO MARU ... M. Nomoto ... Sunday, 25th June at 1 P.M.

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SAIGON MARU ... T. Yamamoto ... Friday, 22nd Aug. at 1 P.M.

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Steamer CAPTAIN M. Nagano ... Sunday, 8th June at Noon.

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April 25, Istra.

April 29, Cyclops.

May 6, Beaufort, Erroll, Shimoni, Socotra, Africa, Almara, Schwarzenburg.

May 8, Calcas, O. J. d'Albres, Merina.

May 9, Antwerp, Armand Echle.

May 13, Canton, Everlyde, Kagu Maru, Tama, Baron Concolor, Baron Minto.

May 16, Agamemnon, Marham.

May 20, Ormuzan.

May 20, Benares, C. Ford, Lacie, Derriford.

May 21, Asina, Asina, Goldenfels, Indrithi.

May 23, Astris Maru, Iyo Maru, Sado Maru, Mandoros, Specia, Nishin Prins.

## STEAMERS EXPECTED.

Mails.

The P. M. S. Co.'s s.s. Mongolia with the American Mail, will sail from Yokohama for Hongkong via the usual ports of call, on Friday, the 23rd May, between 10 a.m. and noon.

The P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Vancouver at 4 p.m. on Saturday, the 17th May.

The Shire Line, Ltd.'s s.s. Harpagon left Portland on the 1st May, due Hongkong on the 12th June.

The Shire Line, Ltd.'s s.s. Monmouthshire left London on the 30th April, due Hongkong on the 17th June.

The India Line, Ltd.'s s.s. Indrithi left New York on the 20th April, due Hongkong on or about 20th June.

## Other Vessels.

The P. &amp; U. S. Co.'s s.s. Banca is expected to arrive at Singapore on the 26th May, at noon.

The P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Sardinia is expected to arrive at Colombo on the 26th May, at 10 p.m.

The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Chuan, who left Singapore on the 24th May, due Hongkong on the 23rd May.

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Africa left Singapore for this port on the 24th May, and is due here on the 29th May.

The E. &amp; A. s.s. St. Albans, left Sydney on the 7th May, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 30th May.

The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Onrust left Chinawianko on the 24th May, due Hongkong on the 30th May.

The P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Sunda left Singapore for this port on the 26th May, at 6 p.m., and is due here on the 30th May, at about 7 p.m.

The I. C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Teepoo sailed from Teepoo on the 6th May, and is due at Hongkong on the 6th June.

The I. C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Tuklong left Calcutta on the 21st May, due Hongkong on the 10th June.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Ito left Rangoon on the 27th May, due Hongkong on the 8th June.

The P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Candia is expected to leave Singapore on the 25th May, a.m.

The American and Manchurian Line a.s. Saco left Singapore on Monday, the 29th May, and is due here on Sunday, the 1st June, p.m.

The I. C. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kuangtung left Shanghai via Swatow on the 23rd May, due Hongkong on the 30th May.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Russia arrived at Kobe at 7 p.m. on Monday, the 26th May, and left again at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, the 27th May, due to arrive at Shimizu at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, the 28th May.

The O. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of India arrived at Shanghai 2.30 p.m. on Monday, the 26th May, and left again at 11 p.m. on the same day, due to arrive at Hongkong at noon on Thursday, the 29th May.

The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Persia left Shanghai for this port on the 27th May, and is due to arrive here on the 31st May.

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